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SUBJECT: MEDIA REACTION TO PRIME MINISTER'S SPEECH

1. TORONTO PRESS REACTION WAS GENERALLY CAUTIOUS ON PRIME
MINISTER TRUDEAU'S APRIL 18 NATIONAL UNITY SPEECH IN WINNIPEG.
TORONTO SUN COMBINED STRAGHT STAFF-WRITTEN STORY WITH MINI SURVEY
TAKEN DURING SPEECH SHOWING THAT ONLY 3 OUT OF 10 TORONTONIANS CALLED
WERE WATCHING. TORONTO STAR MAIN FRONT PAGE HEADLINE "EAST AND
WEST COOL TO TRUDEAU'S SPEECH ON NATIONAL UNITY" STATED THAT THE
ADDRESS "DIDN'T EXCITE OR WORRY HIS OPPONENTS." THE STAR PRINTED
MAJOR EXCERPTS FROM THE SPEECH.

2. IN EDITORIAL "REBUILDING CANADA -- PRIME MINISTER HOLDS OUT
A HAND TO THE WEST" THE STAR CREDITED THE PRIME MINISTER WITH
SHOWING "A READL UNDERSTANDING OF THE NEEDS OF THE WEST" AND PRAISED
THE PRIME MINISTER "AS HE TRAVELS THE COUNTRY SPEAKING OF THE NEED
TO NEGOTIATE A NEW FEDERALISM...BECOMING THE MOST
POSITIVE ADVOCATE OF THE NEED FOR CHANGE IN OUR FEDERAL
SYSTEM." IN CONCLUSION THE STAR CAUTIONED "BUT NEXT
HE HAS TO GET DOWN TO SPECIFIC POLICIES. HE HAS PROMISED THESE.
HE SHOULD START TO UNVEIL THEM SOON. CANADIANS ARE ANXIOUS
TO GET ON WITH THE JOB OF REBUILDING THEIR COUNTRY."
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